

**Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary**

Application No.

10/079,729

Applicant(s)

GREGG ET AL.

Examiner

Steven D. Maki

Art Unit

1733

**All Participants:**(1) Steven D. Maki(2) Paul Dittmer**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Interview:** 13 May 2004**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.****Rejection(s) discussed:**

none

**Claims discussed:**

none

**Prior art documents discussed:**

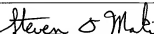
none

**Part II.****SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

See Continuation Sheet

**Part III.**

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, ~~since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application.~~ The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability. Part II above
- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature - if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Applicant's representative called for status of after final amendment filed 3-1-04. Examiner informed applicant's representative that no after final amendment is listed in the contents of the application displayed by PALM. Examiner requested applicant to fax a copy of the after final amendment filed 3-1-04 to the official fax number 703-872-9306 of the PTO. Examiner also requested applicant to fax a copy of the after final amendment filed 3-1-04 to the examiner in order to expedite consideration of the after final amendment by the examiner (see Interview Summary Attachment for a copy of this fax).

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Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

18 and 20-33

Prior art documents discussed:

none

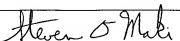
**Part II.**

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

see interview summary attachment

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### Interview Summary Attachment

Examiner made courtesy call to applicant's representative informing him that (1) the faxed unofficial copy of the 3-1-04 after final amendment along with the facsimile confirmation has been received on 5-13-04 and (2) the IFW file, which is not complete since the case in scanning, lists an after final amendment filed 5-13-04. The entry in the IFW file of an after final amendment filed 5-13-04 indicates that the faxed official copy of the 3-1-04 after final amendment has been received. Examiner further informed applicant's representative that (1) the faxed unofficial copy of the 3-1-04 after final amendment along with the facsimile confirmation has been considered and places the case in condition for allowance and (2) a notice of allowability, which has already been prepared, will be mailed once the official copy of the 3-1-04 after final amendment and its facsimile receipt is properly of record in the IFW file and is confirmed to the same as the above noted unofficial copy of the 3-1-04 after final amendment along with the facsimile confirmation.